

Please amend claim 7 as follows:

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7. (Third Amendment) A process for producing materials for fish paste products which involves the step of milling a frozen ground fish meat mass in a substantially uniform manner, thawing the milled fish meat by elevating temperature to give a ground fish meat; and mixing under stirring said ground fish meat together with additives with the use of a pin mixer, wherein said additives include at least one of a seasoning, starch, sugar, and a polyphosphate.